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ELECTION HEADS ASK HONESTY IN POLL ACTIVITIES

Six Changes in Precincts
Made on Strength of
Instructions

PREPARATIONS MADE

Roach Announces Intention
of Giving People Hon-
est Election.

Every effort will be taken by the election board of Pontotoc county to secure an honest election and any report to the contrary will be dealt with in accordance to the law. Emmett Roach, secretary of the county election board, announced on the eve of the general election today.

Roach stated that he did not contemplate trouble in Pontotoc county over factional differences and would take every precaution to avoid any. The board has been busy for the past two days in preparing for the election tomorrow and at a late hour today all but six precinct boxes were in the hands of precinct inspectors and the machinery for the election tomorrow well in motion.

The instruction of Art L. Walker of the state election board to the effect that precinct election officials be picked alike from klan and anti-klan forces led to the changing of six precinct boards in Pontotoc county, according to the announcement of Roach. One change had been made prior to the receipt of a telegram of instruction from Walker.

Following are the instructions received from Walker:

Oklahoma City, Nov. 1, 1924. Pontotoc County Election Board, care Emmet Roach, Sec'y, Ada, Okla.

For several weeks we have been besieged by delegation after delegation representing either the klan or the anti-klan complaining to this office that efforts are being made to organize the precinct election boards within the precincts. It is the policy of this office to see that no such efforts are made. Each side has at all times insisted that only an honest election was desired. Our attention has also been frequently called to press reports of a like nature.

It appears that this election has developed in some state and county races into a bitter contest between the klan and anti-klan forces, each side being suspicious and distrustful of the other and that party lines in such instances have been obliterated in a large measure. In order to close the doors of opportunity against the perpetration of frauds and to allay even the suspicion of such frauds, you are hereby directed and instructed to reconvene your county election board immediately and to reorganize your precinct election boards in each and every precinct in such a way that each opposing faction shall have at least one representative on each precinct board of its own choosing and that the four counters in each precinct be divided equally between the factions two to be recommended by the klan and two to be recommended by the anti-klan forces bearing in mind also the requirements of the law with regard to existing political parties. You will also instruct each of your precinct election boards to comply strictly with the law relating to watchers found on Page 35 Primary and General Election Law Pamphlet issued by this board. Democrats, Republicans, Farmer-Labor and Socialist parties are each allowed to appoint one watcher for each precinct. You are directed to see that watchers so appointed are accorded all the privileges allowed them under this law. If these instructions are not carried out immediately it will be necessary to reorganize your county election board so that no reasonable suspicion or fraud may attach either to your board or the state board.

ART L. WALKER, Chm.
CLAUDE BAKER, Member.
W. C. McAllister, Sec'y.

Where to Vote

WHERE TO VOTE 24

- Ward 1, Precinct 1—City Hall.
- Ward 1, Precinct 2—Chevrolet garage.
- Ward 1, Precinct 3—Hays School.
- Ward 2, Precinct 1—Fred Ford's garage.
- Ward 2, Precinct 2—Willard school.
- Ward 3, Precinct 1—Gasoline Alley garage.
- Ward 3, Precinct 2—Glenwood school.
- Ward 4, Precinct 1—Convention Hall.
- Ward 4, Precinct 2—High School.

Capt. S. H. Hargis, custodian of the Confederate memorial hall in the state capitol, is in the city today and will remain over the election.

Buy it—rent it—sell it—find it with a NEWS want ad.

Denies She Forged Dead Husband's Name to Million Dollar Letter



"It's a lie." That is the answer of Mrs. Guinevere Sinciair Gould, second wife of the late George J. Gould, to the charge she signed her late husband's name to the letter by which \$1,010,000 in Liberty bonds was transferred to her in trust. The charge was made in the court of chancery, Jersey City, where the tangled affairs of the Gould estate are being aired.

POST OFFICE LOOT TOTALLED IN STAMPS

Robbers Gain Entrance Thru
Breaking Glass of Door
At News Stand.

The efforts of bandits who plundered the Ada postoffice Saturday night were rewarded with the acquisition of stamps valued between \$225 and \$250.

Apparently no attempt was made to loot the safe which contained money order receipts and currency, a checkup of the postoffice department revealed yesterday. With the exception of the missing stamps and several letters, which were opened by the looters, no other effort was made to molest government property.

A further investigation will be made of the robbery as soon as inspectors can arrive at the Ada postoffice. The probe into the looting is being conducted at the present time by city officers, who took over the investigation immediately after the discovery early Sunday morning.

The loot in the robbery included stamps of practically all denominations, from two cents to twenty cents. The stamps were in the clerk's drawer and considered the assorted supply for sale at his window.

The looters gained entrance by breaking the glass on the main door at the Postoffice News stand but the door was left open in their apparent hasty departure.

The robbery is believed to have been consummated between the hours of 10:30 and 12 o'clock Saturday evening. The night force at the office goes off duty at 9 o'clock but Assistant Postmaster Wilbur Lee did not leave the office until after 10 o'clock. Employees of a Twelfth street concern saw the door to the postoffice standing open about 12 o'clock but thought employees were inside and had left the door open. The open door later attracted the attention of a passerby and reported to police, who called Postmaster M. F. Manville to make a check of the postoffice property.

Postmaster Manville stated today that outside of the loss of stamps and the opening of a number of letters, he could trace no further loss to government property.

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE LAYS SUMS OF CONTRIBUTION FUND

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The Democratic national committee reported today to the senate committee investigating campaign funds that a total of \$618,311.97 had been raised in contributions up to October 29. During the period from October 2 to October 29, \$125,452.21 was received. A disbursement report was not filed with the list of contributions.

Peking General Skips.
(By the Associated Press)

PEKING, Nov. 3.—Gen. Wu Pei-fu, former commander in chief of the Peking military forces, has fled to Tangku, about 30 miles from Tientsin, it is reported today at the headquarters of Feng Yu Hsiang, "the Christian general," now in control here.

Court to Decide On Secret Files Of Navy Department

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—It will be left to the court to decide whether secret files of the naval department are to be produced in the suit to determine the legality of the Pan-American Petroleum company's title to land in the government oil reserves.

The papers subpoenaed by the Los Angeles federal court before which the action is in progress are enroute today in charge of Rear Admiral Latimer, the naval judge advocate general. He will present them to the court with a formal objection of both his office and of the state department which held that their publication would be detrimental to the public interest.

ADA NEWS TO HOLD ELECTION PARTY

County, State and National
Returns to be Announced;
Musical Program.

It will be a regular election party you are to be treated to Tuesday evening. The Ada News has made arrangements to announce the returns in the Memorial Hall. The Associated Press reports will be received in The News office and rushed to the hall where they will be read. No admission charge will be made, and every one is invited to attend and get the returns from the county, the state and the nation.

Belton Brady will also rig up a powerful radio receiving set and will add the reports which he snatches from the air.

Band music will be furnished from time to time by the East Central State Teachers College band and the Ada High School band. All efforts will be made to keep something of interest going at all times.

J. C. Treadwell, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, will be in charge of the occasion at the hall. He will have several assistants. The Associated Press has correspondents in every county seat in the United States with instructions to get the returns on the wire the minute they are available. From Maine to California and from Washington to Florida, this great news gathering organization will gather and tabulate the returns with lightning-like rapidity. Trunk telegraph lines will be ready to receive the returns. Giant adding machines will run up the totals as they are received, and you will be given the news almost as quick as it happens.

On account of working at high speed and with delicate instruments of science, the boys in the News office will need all their wits. It will, therefore, be impossible to admit visitors to the office. No announcements will be made, therefore, at the News office. In case the Convention Hall will not hold the crowd, the news will be repeated from the steps.

Come to the Convention Hall Tuesday night and get the returns hot.

Bhisbane, the capital of Queensland, has no slum district.

LEADERS RESIGN TO AWAIT VOTES OF CANDIDATES

Campaign of 1924 Passing
Through Final Hours
of Activity

PRECEDENT UPSET

Managers Perfecting Machinery
to Get Out Vote
of People.

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The campaign of 1924 is passing through its final hours in a swirl of activity destined to make political history.

For the first time two presidential candidates, President Coolidge and John W. Davis, are preparing to address election eve messages to the same audiences, a radio audience, that will extend the country over.

Two candidates for vice-president likewise are upsetting precedent by continuing through pre-election Monday with their speaking campaign. Gov. Bryan is completing a swing through his home state of Nebraska and Senator Wheeler is winding up his coast to coast speech making tour in Baltimore. Senator La Follette having laid his case finally before the people in Saturday night's address at Cleveland, has returned to his home in Madison, Wisconsin, and Charles G. Dawes is awaiting in Evanston the verdict of tomorrow's balloting.

Managers of three of the presidential candidates after making the usual pre-election claims of victory, devoted much of today to perfecting the machinery to get out the vote. A fair weather forecast for most of the country fitted in with these preparations and appeared to presage a record vote. Besides making a decision among three presidential candidates, the voters will choose tomorrow a complete membership of the house of representatives, 34 United States senators, 34 governors of states and a host of state and local officials.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The long trail blazed by John W. Davis since his campaign for president reached the end today. Only a motor trip from his home in Locust Valley to a New York studio, where he will deliver his last political address which will be broadcasted by radio tonight remains to bring the campaign to its grand total.

All engagements were cancelled to permit him to work at his home unmolested on his address for tonight.

The plans arranged for the radio-casting tonight called for his arrival at the WEAF studio at 9 o'clock the beginning of the address at 9:15 eastern standard time and will close at 9:45.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The final day of the campaign found President Coolidge with only routine business on his program except for completion of the election eve address he will deliver over the radio tonight to the voters of the nation.

This speech is expected to be devoted to an appeal to the citizens to cast their ballot will be broadcast in practically every section of the country by an extensive broadcasting system arranged for by the Republican national committee.

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 3.—Senator Robert M. La Follette, resting today at home on Maple Bluff farm after a day of strenuous campaigning expressed gratification over the late reports from the supporters of his presidential candidacy throughout the country.

Combined with the expression of confidence in the outcome of the election was an appeal to electorate "to increase the progressive group in congress."

Howarth Gets Gas and Small Showing of Oil Production

Floyd O. Howarth in section 14-4-7 got about three million feet of gas at a depth of 752 feet early Sunday. There is also a good showing of oil. The drillers lifted the 15-inch casing slightly and some caving resulted, according to reports from the well Monday afternoon. It will take a short time therefore, to clean out the hole and set the casing to drill in.

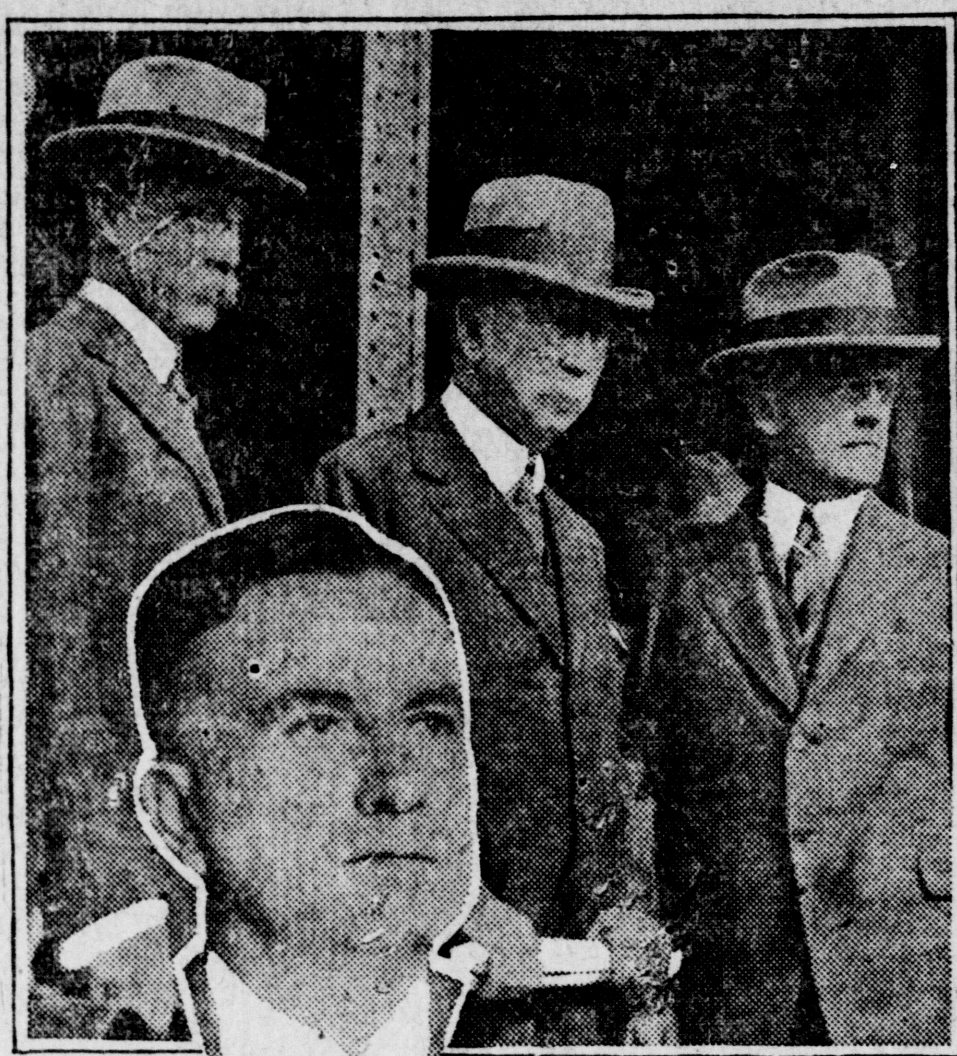
This well is only about a mile from what is known as the old Highnote well in section 15-4-7, which was drilled many years ago and was considered good.

Some excitement has resulted from the strike and some acreage is said to be changing hands.

Three Killed in Crash

(By the Associated Press)
STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 3.—Three men were killed and a fourth badly injured when a driver of an automobile in which they were riding last night tried to beat a Southern Pacific freight train to a crossing near here.

Government Presses Its Suit to Cancel Teapot Dome Leases



Obscured by the presidential campaign, the hearing of testimony in the government's suit to cancel the Teapot Dome oil leases is going forward in Los Angeles in the federal court of Judge Paul J. McCormick (inset). Left to right: Fred Kellogg, attorney; E. L. Doheny, oil man who sent \$100,000 in a little black bag to A. B. Fall, secretary of the interior, and F. Hogan, attorney, are seen entering the courtroom.

Abandoned Safe of Atlanta, Kansas Bank Found by Hunters

(By the Associated Press)
PAWHUSKA, Nov. 3.—An abandoned safe from the Citizens bank of Atlanta, Kan., containing \$150,000 in securities and a like amount in notes was found late yesterday in a large water tank seven miles south of Foraker, Okla., by a party of duck hunters.

The cashier of the Atlanta bank, from which the safe was stolen October 28, came to Pawhuska where the safe was brought early today and opened it. It was found that the bandits had taken \$1,500 in cash leaving the securities which were non-negotiable. The notes were water soaked but legible.

The party that found the safe was composed of Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Roland and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ferguson of Pawhuska.

PROBE LAUNCHED ON TILGHMAN KILLING

State and Federal Investi-
gation on Death of
Peace Officer

(By the Associated Press)

CROMWELL, Nov. 3.—Federal and state investigations of the killing of William "Bill" Tilghman, veteran frontier peace officer, were launched here today by M. F. Meadows, federal prohibition director for Oklahoma, and George F. Short, attorney general. Tilghman was shot in front of a Cromwell dance hall Saturday night by Wyley Lynn, federal enforcement officer. Lynn was confined today in the jury room of the Hughes county court house. He expressed regret over the death of Tilghman whom he called "Uncle Bill," but declared he shot in self defense. No warrant has been issued against Lynn pending developments of the investigation.

Lynn is quoted as saying that his shot that brought Tilghman, who was town marshal, to the scene to investigate, was fired accidentally when his thumb slipped from the hammer of his revolver.

Although Mrs. Rose Lutke, one of the occupants of the car in which Lynn was riding, declared that Tilghman fired first at Lynn, the latter said it was his belief that the marshal did not shoot.

"He had his gun in my side and threatened to kill me," Lynn said. "It was a matter of kill or get killed. I don't believe Tilghman fired."

RING LEADER OF PERSIAN MOB IS PUT TO DEATH

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Execution by the Persian government of Seyid Hussien, ring leader of the mob that murdered American Vice-Consul Imbrie in Teheran was reported officially today to the state department. Another man was executed for the crime sometime ago. The sentences were carried out when the Washington government insisted that the two men receive the extreme penalty, despite the decision by the Persian cabinet to commute their sentences. A third man found guilty and sentenced to death was executed sometime ago.

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TRAPP ORDER ON ELECTION GRIND CAUSES CHANGE

Election Machinery Over-
State Undergoing Over-
hauling.

MEETS OBJECTIONS

Tulsa County Board May be
Removed from Refusal
to Obey Orders.

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 3.—Election machinery over the state was being reorganized today in compliance with the order of W. C. McAllister, secretary of the state election board, that the Ku Klux Klan and opponents of the organization have equal representation on county and precinct boards in an effort to forestall charges of irregularity after the election tomorrow.

The change was instigated by M. E. Trapp after the appointment of Art L. Walker to succeed John P. Logan of Tulsa who resigned. Governor Trapp declared his action was taken to insure a clean election and further said he offered a reward for conviction of any man charged with violating state election laws.

R. H. Wilson, chairman of the Anti-Walton Democratic club, charged that the movement was a "frantic effort to make it more difficult for the people to vote."

Ed Dyche, campaign manager for W. B. Pine, Republican senatorial candidate, said: "Regardless of what the motive behind the movement is, it is a gigantic plot to steal the election."

TULSA, Nov. 3.—Decision to disregard Governor Trapp's orders to the effect that Klan and anti-Klan forces have equal representation on county election forces was reached at a meeting of the Tulsa county election board this morning.

The possibility that Governor Trapp will remove the Tulsa county election board was expressed here today after it became known that the election officials had refused to obey the governor's orders.

Nat Saunders, secretary of the board, said it was too late to make changes in the election officials and that to do so at this time would be to disrupt the entire organization.

MARTLESVILLE, Nov. 3.—Frank Lythe, secretary of the Washington county election board, complied with instructions from the state election board received this morning for a reorganization of the machinery in this county and has ordered every precinct board to follow the instructions to have every faction represented on the election board tomorrow.

WATER PROJECT AT TULSA COMPLETED

Engineers Pronounce Spavinaw
Project Success
After Test Flow

(By the Associated Press)

TULSA, Nov. 3.—Tulsa's new \$7,500,000 water supply project was today declared successful by W. R. Holloway, engineer in charge of the Spavinaw project. The first water from the 53 concrete conduit which connects Tulsa with Spavinaw lake, trickled into the Mohawk reservoir today. The water is not Spavinaw water, but water pumped into the conduit for test purposes. The fact that it poured into the reservoir indicates that the gravity system is successful, according to the engineer. Twenty-one million gallons pumped from the Verdigris river must pour into the reservoir before the clear waters of Spavinaw lake are freed.

The water gates of Spavinaw dam will be opened wide tomorrow. A container with a \$15,000 check. Mr. Holloway's final payment from the city for the project, will then be placed in the Spavinaw end of the conduit for collection at the Mohawk reservoir.

FIRE DEPARTMENT TO WORK ON WRECK RESPONSIBILITY

(By the Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Efforts to fix the blame for the crossing tragedy in which ten persons lost their lives and more than 30 others were injured when a street car was wrecked by a freight train today were resolved into five separate investigations. Officials of the state, county, city, railroad and surface line will bend their efforts to determine the responsibility.

There were about 60 passengers on the street car, mostly young people returning from Halloween celebrations.

The Truant Soul

By
Victor Rousseau
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Chapter XII

Without a sound Lancaster leaped at him.

Joan saw the secretary snatch up the lamp and hold it on high. She heard his screaming, terrified voice above the uproar. He stood like some squat statue illuminating the space.



Joan saw the Secretary Snatch Up the Lamp and Hold It on High.

above the dark in which Lancaster and Lawson sprawled, clutching at each other like two primeval cave men.

It was grotesque, for it was like a man fighting with himself; and, in fact, it might have been Lancaster fighting with his evil angel. He was no match for Lawson, but at first his pent-up fury, at last unleashed, matched the two equally. Then Lawson flung his adversary from him and struggled to his knees. As Lancaster grasped him and tried to rise he flung him down again. Lancaster's head struck the corner of the iron bedstead. His hands unclenched; he sighed and lay perfectly still. Joan saw the look of malignant rage upon Lawson's face, saw him raise his heel above the face of the unconscious man. He would have ground out Lancaster's life, but that Joan pulled the revolver from her pocket and thrust it into his face for the second time.

Lawson staggered backward, rage and terror depicted upon his features in the light of the swaying oil lamp. At that moment Myers was crouching near her. He set the lamp down. Joan felt a sharp pain in the upper part of her arm. She saw the secretary putting something into his pocket. He dodged the wavering revolver and backed toward the door, pulling Lawson with him.

"I'm going to finish this!" yelled Lawson.

Myers clutched at him and pulled him into the hall. "Joan heard Myers' eager whispers, and Lawson's struggles and angry muttering gradually subsided.

Then she heard them enter the secretary's room, and, forgetting them instantly, she bent over Lancaster and raised his head upon her knee.

He was breathing heavily. The blow had only stunned him. Joan tried to lift him upon the bed, but he was too heavy for her. As she was attempting to do so, however, the door opened and Mrs. Fraser came in.

"I found a key," she whispered, trembling. "I heard them fighting. Heaven help me, what has that devil done to the doctor?"

"He isn't badly hurt," said Joan. "Help me get him upon the bed."

"He drew her toward him, and she remained with her cheek resting against his, with his arms about her. She could not stir. A strange physical lethargy seemed to hold her limbs, but her will was unshaken.

"Your last word, Joan?" whispered Lancaster.

"No, dear," she answered.

The humors look that came at such odd moments into Lancaster's eyes flickered there now. "Your very last?" he asked.

"O, don't ask me to deny my resolution," she said.

She released herself and stood beside him. As she did so she had a sensation as if her feet rested on a cushion of air. Her physical weakness was matched by her sense of instability; she longed with all her heart to lean within the arms outstretched toward her; she knew that, if she had given Lancaster life, he could give her the strength of life; he was of her own people, and all that was chivalric and dear in the land she had loved seemed embodied in him. And before her she saw the closing hospital walls of some far distant city; she must exile herself from everything that she had known.

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"I shall love you, Joan."

"I shall hear from you sometimes?"

"Yes, and I shall remain in Avonmouth until your battle is won. But there will be no battle. They know that they are beaten. You will never be weak again."

"No," said Lancaster. "But, O Joan, if you had said 'yes' to me it would have been so easy."

With the maternal feeling that is part of every woman's love for the man she loves, she stooped and kissed his forehead.

"You must try to sleep now," she said. "I shall leave the revolver with you, and you shall lock your door."

"I am not afraid of them," he answered. "They can do nothing. Joan, keep it to assure you of your own safety."

That seemed the better way. There was nothing that the pair could do to Lancaster. If they aimed at anyone it would be her. She saw that, and she went out without speaking to Lancaster again. In the hall she breathed more freely. It was ended now, and she knew that she had done the right thing, the only possible thing. But Lancaster had not surmised the terrible woman's battle which she had fought during those last few minutes.

She stood in the hall for a few moments in uncertainty. She did not mean to sleep, but to be awake with her door open, resting, and listening for any movements in the house. But, though her brain was awake, she was more tired than she had ever been in her life. She could hardly drag her limbs upstairs, and again she had that sense of walking on air. Under the little burning lamp she stopped again to gather strength to go to her room. The ticking of the clock in the hall below was the only sound in the house. She strained her ears to catch the sound of voices from Myers' room, but she could hear nothing. Yet the men could not be asleep. They must be planning together.

The silence in the ramshackle old building was a ghastly one. It seemed to hide innumerable thoughts, as if those of all who had ever lived within its walls survived, breaking upon her brain in invisible waves. She felt enmeshed in a web, as the dreamer who struggles to wake into free life from the horrors of nightmare. The wind had gone down, and the raindrops dripped rhythmically from the eaves.

Joan had an intense inclination to surrender, to run back into Lancaster's room, cry to him to help her, to let her fight beside him as long as they lived. And the silence, which was becoming more terrific every moment, was unmistakably malevolent.

She reached her room and tried to shake away her fears. She went to the window and leaned out. The night was clearing, and a delicious air blew in from the hills. Not a light was to be seen in Millville or Lancaster. And she wept again, heartbroken. It was all ended, that peace which had begun to inclose her, and all her hopes, and all that love within was bound up so intimately with the idea of home.

She lit her lamp, but her fingers slipped over the glass, and it fell to the floor with a crash that startled all the echoes in the old building. The smoky wick flared up. Joan turned it down with difficulty until the blaze was extinguished, and staggered to the bed, amazed at her weakness.

She could not keep her eyelids open, and she let them close wearily. But sleep was far from her, and still she listened. And after while an unmistakable sound reached her. Somewhere within the institute she heard a key turn in a lock.

Mrs. Fraser and Joan succeeded. Lancaster lay there, still unconscious. The matron clung heavily to the bedstead, looking at Joan pitiously.

"I know it all now," she muttered. "I should have known before if I'd listened to the Millville gossip. That devil is his brother."

"Yes," said Joan shortly. "What are you going to do, Mrs. Fraser?"

"I'm going to stand by the doctor," the woman answered. "I stood by him year after year when I thought he was possessed by an evil spirit. Wouldn't I stand by him now?"

"Good," said Joan. "And I, too. Tomorrow we'll make short work of those men."

"Heaven save you, you don't know that man, Miss Wentworth," muttered the matron. "He's a devil. He has no pity. And he has a devil ten times worse than himself."

"Myers? Who is he?"

"He was his assistant here. He was tried once, they tell me, for poisoning his sweetheart. He sent her candy—but they couldn't find any poison in her body. It was his master made the analysis, and he lied to get Myers free and have his hold on him. It's all plain to me now, Miss Wentworth."

"If you knew this," said Joan, "you should have told me; you should have told the police, told anyone rather than let him drug Doctor Lancaster day after day."

"I thought it was the doctor who was to league with him," the matron muttered. "Miss Wentworth, I'm timid, I'm easily frightened, but not another day will I keep silent. Tomorrow—"

"Yes, tomorrow," said Joan. "You'd better go to bed now, Mrs. Fraser. I'll guard the doctor with my revolver, and tomorrow we'll end these years of slavery. Doctor Lancaster is a free man. Think of him as a free man. The past is all behind us."

The matron slipped away stealthily to her room. Joan took her seat beside Lancaster, listening to the incoherent mutterings which had begun. Presently his eyes opened. He stared at her for some minutes until recognition came into them.

"Joan!" he whispered, stretching out his hand to hers.

She let him take and hold it, and sat beside him, while he began muttering again. Gradually he began to realize where he was, and to remember.

"It is all true, then, Joan," he said. "He has had his revenge for his fancied wrongs. He has had the best years of my life, and he has beaten me in the end."

"Beaten you?" asked Joan. "You are not beaten. They are at your wits' end what to do now, and tomorrow you will send them packing and begin your new life."

"A pitiful hope," he answered. "For he has given me back one thing—my faith in that poor woman upstairs, and, with it, a greater faith in humanity; but he has robbed me of all my hope."

"Why, Joan?"

"Because I could not have imagined that humanity was so vile. Joan, I am crushed by his revelation. If he entered this room now I feel that his will would dominate mine."

"Those are the words of a sick man," said Joan. "Tomorrow you will adjust yourself. Tomorrow you will be strong. Why, hardly a man on earth could do what you have done with the morphine."

"I suppose I shall carry on my fight," he answered wearily. "But victory will mean nothing to me."

"I shall stand by your side until I have seen you conquer, and until I have seen you happy in your success."

"And then, Joan?"

"Then? Then I shall go somewhere, I suppose."

"Go away? From me? Is it because of Mrs. Dana?"

"Because of her, Joan."

"But she is nothing to me. She was never anything. Even my monomania of revenge rose out of wounded pride, not love. Surely you will not leave me because I once thought that I loved another?"

"It isn't that, Joan. But, you see, she has been an integral part of your life all these years. Even though her mind was gone, there was the consciousness of her presence that ate into your brain; she was the mainspring of your existence here. She would have been your wife today, but for that dastard's scheme. She is innocent, she has been deeply wronged, and her life has become bound up with yours indissolubly. You see, Joan, there is no getting away from that."

"Joan, don't you know she hates me? She thinks that my death will avenge her wrongs and cure her of her troubles. She has tried three times to kill me. In some mysterious manner she has learned the location of my room. Once she stabbed me in the wrist with a table-knife. Once she got the matron's revolver, but fortunately it was unloaded. I have been planning to send her somewhere where she could be better cared for and where my presence would not be a constant incitation to her."

Joan shook her head. "It is all part of the past," she said. "One cannot cancel the past. One must just carry it with one and try to profit by it. You know that, Joan."

"You do not love me, Joan."

She turned her face away; tears that filled her eyes came from the depths of her being. Lancaster took both her hands in his.

"You love me, Joan?"

"Too well to wrong you and myself," she answered. "Too well to let our love build a wall between us. So well that I would rather let the spiritual bond remain, rather than mar it."

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"I shall hear from you sometimes?"

"Yes, and I shall remain in Avonmouth until your battle is won. But there will be no battle. They know that they are beaten. You will never be weak again."

"No," said Lancaster. "But, O Joan, if you had said 'yes' to me it would have been so easy."

With the maternal feeling that is part of every woman's love for the man she loves, she stooped and kissed his forehead.

"You must try to sleep now," she said. "I shall leave the revolver with you, and you shall lock your door."

"I am not afraid of them," he answered. "They can do nothing. Joan, keep it to assure you of your own safety."

That seemed the better way. There was nothing that the pair could do to Lancaster. If they aimed at anyone it would be her. She saw that, and she went out without speaking to Lancaster again. In the hall she breathed more freely. It was ended now, and she knew that she had done the right thing, the only possible thing. But Lancaster had not surmised the terrible woman's battle which she had fought during those last few minutes.

She stood in the hall for a few moments in uncertainty. She did not mean to sleep, but to be awake with her door open, resting, and listening for any movements in the house. But, though her brain was awake, she was more tired than she had ever been in her life. She could hardly drag her limbs upstairs, and again she had that sense of walking on air. Under the little burning lamp she stopped again to gather strength to go to her room. The ticking of the clock in the hall below was the only sound in the house. She strained her ears to catch the sound of voices from Myers' room, but she could hear nothing. Yet the men could not be asleep. They must be planning together.

The silence in the ramshackle old building was a ghastly one. It seemed to hide innumerable thoughts, as if those of all who had ever lived within its walls survived, breaking upon her brain in invisible waves. She felt enmeshed in a web, as the dreamer who struggles to wake into free life from the horrors of nightmare. The wind had gone down, and the raindrops dripped rhythmically from the eaves.

Joan had an intense inclination to surrender, to run back into Lancaster's room, cry to him to help her, to let her fight beside him as long as they lived. And the silence, which was becoming more terrific every moment, was unmistakably malevolent.

She reached her room and tried to shake away her fears. She went to the window and leaned out. The night was clearing, and a delicious air blew in from the hills. Not a light was to be seen in Millville or Lancaster. And she wept again, heartbroken. It was all ended, that peace which had begun to inclose her, and all her hopes, and all that love within was bound up so intimately with the idea of home.

She lit her lamp, but her fingers slipped over the glass, and it fell to the floor with a crash that startled all the echoes in the old building. The smoky wick flared up. Joan turned it down with difficulty until the blaze was extinguished, and staggered to the bed, amazed at her weakness.

She could not keep her eyelids open, and she let them close wearily. But sleep was far from her, and still she listened. And after while an unmistakable sound reached her. Somewhere within the institute she heard a key turn in a lock.

It was the slightest distant sound, but it cut the darkness like a knife. And to her mind, the sound, which might mean nothing, might be, indeed, the key of Lancaster's door, seemed like the snap of a trap.

She slept and could not wake. Or, rather, she did not sleep, could not have slept; yet sleep had paralyzed her limbs and left her brain untouched; and her mind seemed preternaturally acute, so that she felt and saw everything that was happening in the building.

Someone was coming along the passage, as on that night before. The hand was upon the door. Through her closed and paralyzed eyelids Joan yet seemed to see the figure of a madwoman. Something was in her hand. It was the revolver which Joan

had left upon the little table beside her.

Mrs. Dana stood over her, the weapon aimed at her, while her eyes sought her face.

Was she dreaming? Joan had waited through agony of centuries, and the woman was gone. Once more there was silence everywhere. And still she lay there, helpless, feeling all and knowing all, and that it had been no dream, but the prelude of worse to come.

It was strange, but she did not once picture Lancaster as in danger. It was as if the unchained spirit of evil, impotent to harm him, sought another victim. She waited, it seemed for aeons. And the blow fell.

She heard a man's scream of fear, dimmed through her ears distantly, with the accompanying pistol shot. Yet she was unable to stir, and it passed into her memory, as of something infinitely long ago. Presently there came the hum of voices, chattering cries, bare feet that ran wildly along the corridor without, hands at her door.

It was Mrs. Fraser's voice. Now, with a mighty effort, Joan shook herself free from the spell. She staggered from the bed and groped her way across the room.

Nobody was at the door now, but when she unlocked it a whirl of smoke burst in. Smoke filled the passage. Upon the floor beneath a woman was screaming. There were voices outside, and the sound of men running along the passages, but Joan could not locate them.

She staggered through the smoke, feeling for the stairs. It blinded her. She felt into a wall, felt a rigid body before her, and perceived dimly Mrs. Dana's face, wearing a look of exaltation.

She had come too far; she had reached the door of Mrs. Dana's room. Through a break in the smoke cloud Joan saw that the door was closed. Behind it someone was hammering. Then Myers' screams broke through the din and confusion. He was battering against the door, and the strong door, built to resist such pressure, refused to yield. His cries were terrifying. Under the door came little creeping tongues of flame.

Joan caught at Mrs. Dana. "Come with me!" she murmured. "Come!"

The woman stood rigid as a statue. She felt like marble to the touch, but there was the same exaltation upon her face.

"Open the door!" whispered Joan with her last strength, and pointed. "Open it! Somebody is locked inside."

(Continued Tomorrow)

FIRST WATER FROM SPAVINAW IN TULSA

(By The Associated Press)

TULSA, Nov. 3.—The first Spavinaw water to complete the journey from mountain streams to city faucets through Tulsa's new \$7,500,000 supply system, recently completed, was scheduled to find its way into the mains today, according to W. R. Holway, engineer in charge of the Spavinaw system.

Valves at the dam at Spavinaw lake, a 20-billion gallon body of water, however, allowed water to enter the 60-inch concrete pipe line Saturday, as it was essential to fill the low points in the line before releasing the system's full pressure. Gradually the valves were fully opened until, engineers estimated the 50 miles of line was running full at an early hour this morning.

At Mohawk reservoir, the pump station six miles from Tulsa, the water is taken from the concrete line through two batteries of 1,000,000 gallon capacity pumps, into a 30-inch steel pipe line, and forced four miles to a high pressure reservoir at the city limits.

The change to Spavinaw water will not be immediately noticeable to Tulsans. The high-pressure reservoir, which has been in use for several months, was filled with filtered Arkansas river water and the long looked for supply of unadulterated Spavinaw water will not be available until this supply of Arkansas water has been exhausted. The Arkansas flow, however, was turned off at the same time, the valves were opened at Spavinaw.

Although the Spavinaw system actually comes into use today it will not be officially dedicated by city officials until Nov. 17, when appropriate ceremonies will be conducted on Reservoir Hill.

CARTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN SHERIFF NOMINEE QUILTS

(By The Associated Press)

ARDMORE.—The sensation of the local political campaign was the withdrawal yesterday of Lament Byers, Republican candidate for sheriff of Carter county. Many Republicans during the entire week have been working to get Mr. Byers out of the race for the reason that they felt London should have a free hand in his fight. While that was true of a portion of the Republicans, there were other members of that party who were looking at the middle in the most material way and were seeking to get an advantage for their party. These men were working to keep Evans off the ticket so that there might be a single-handed fight between Byers and the Republican tickets and London on the Democratic ticket.

But the wing of the party which was seeking strictly a party victory was not in control and Mr. Byers got out of the race and in his statement he very clearly indicates that he is for London.

There is a new material called "tigrette" that is a very good copy of tiger skin and is very successful for coats and trimmings.

TOMORROW OPENS POLLS OVER O. U.

Voting Places Open at Different Times Over Country.

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The number of voting precincts and the hour at which the polls will close at the general election November 4 are shown in the table below. The closing hour of the polls indicated is standard time for the section in which the respective states are located.

Precincts	Polls close
Alabama.....1,400	6 p. m.
Arizona.....479	6 p. m.
Arkansas.....1,969	sundown
California.....7,465	7 p. m.
Colorado.....1,492	7 p. m.
Connecticut.....169	6 p. m.
Delaware.....205	6 p. m.
Florida.....1,108	sundown
Georgia.....1,700	7 p. m.
Idaho.....838	7 p. m.
Illinois.....5,989	5 p. m.
Indiana.....3,407	6 p. m.
Iowa.....2,412	7 p. m.
Kansas.....2,590	7 p. m.
Kentucky.....3,971	4 p. m.
Louisiana.....1,310	7 p. m.
Maine.....633	6 p. m.
Maryland.....1,099	7 p. m.
Massachusetts.....1,432	8 p. m.
Michigan.....2,765	8 p. m.
Minnesota.....3,602	9 p. m.
Mississippi.....1,438	6 p. m.
Missouri.....4,024	7 p. m.
Montana.....1,538	8 p. m.
Nebraska.....1,941	8 p. m.
Nevada.....214	6 p. m.
New Hampshire.....294	6 p. m.
New Jersey.....2,559	7 p. m.
New Mexico.....725	6 p. m.
New York.....7,568	6 p. m.
North Carolina.....1,719	sunset
North Dakota.....2,160	7 p. m.
Ohio.....8,409	5 p. m.
Oklahoma.....3,082	7 p. m.
Oregon.....1,760	8 p. m.
Pennsylvania.....8,169	7 p. m.
Rhode Island.....195	8 p. m.
South Carolina.....1,364	4 p. m.
South Dakota.....1,740	5 p. m.
Tennessee.....2,139	5 p. m.
Texas.....4,462	7 p. m.
Utah.....721	5 p. m.
Vermont.....248	5 p. m.
Virginia.....1,483	sunset
Washington.....2,437	8 p. m.
Washington.....2,437	8 p. m.
West Virginia.....2,191	sunset
Wisconsin.....2,678	5 p. m.
Wyoming.....695	7 p. m.
Hawaii.....109	5 p. m.

Of the total number of precincts in Illinois 2,584 are in the city of Chicago, New York City has 2,975 precincts of the total in that state. In Vermont and Connecticut the cities and towns are the voting units, there being no election precincts.

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GLYN SAYS WOMEN CAN'T TELL THE TRUTH

"A woman cannot tell the truth about anything." This is the opinion expressed by Ellnor Glyn when she was at the Goldwyn Studios to assist in the filming of her famous novel, "Three Weeks," which has been booked for two days at the American theatre, beginning Wednesday.

Mrs. Glyn, when asked why the great novels about women have usually been written by men, made this startling reply. She further affirmed that her novel, "Three Weeks," was true to life in each detail, and that it would be more appreciated in the future when people had learned more how to look at life and truth.

That she was the "greatest woman psychologist in Europe" was the opinion held of her by the late Jack London, Jack London and Gertrude Atherton are Ellnor Glyn's favorite American writers. She is not in sympathy with the younger generation of writers, commonly called "the young intellectuals."

She feels that they are too morbid and pessimistic, and that life should be treated with gay colors.

When asked about conditions in Russia, about which she has written a book, the author of "Three Weeks" was anything but optimistic. She said that Lenin was "a poor misguided and deluded man" and that Trotsky was "a fly to brush from the window pane." In Mrs. Glyn's opinion, Mussolini, the Italian, is the greatest living statesman.

Mrs. Glyn further expressed herself as not being in favor of the American system of co-education, saying that it stripped life of all romance and glamor, and was injurious to the future welfare of men and women. Boys and girls should attend separate schools, so that the world-old mystery of love shall not perish from the earth.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

THOU HAST A MIGHTY ARM; strong is thy hand, and high is thy right hand. Justice and judgment are the habitation of thy throne: mercy and truth shall go before thy face.—Psalm 89:13, 14.

BOOTLEGGERS' PATRONS WARNED.

The great number of Americans employing the service of bootleggers have doubtless in most cases assumed that, though it is illegal to sell, it is not illegal to buy. This impression has received a severe shock in Arkansas, where the federal authorities have used the list surrendered by a convicted bootlegger as a basis for warrants for the arrest of his real or alleged customers, who are said to include prominent citizens and even high officials. These respectable and supposedly law-abiding persons are now charged with procuring, possessing and transporting forbidden liquors. And according to report this is only the beginning of a drastic federal campaign against the customers of bootleggers in all the states.

If such persons can be brought to book in Arkansas and elsewhere, there is prospect of a sizable disturbance in these United States. It is scarcely too much to say that congressmen, senators, governors, even judges and clergymen—if all one hears is true—will share with ordinary citizens the danger of seeing the inside of a court, if not a jail, with all the anguish of publicity involved. However, there may be means of escape from dreadful peril in not a few instances. It will be impossible to claim—perhaps in many cases truthfully—that one's name is on such a tell-tale list not as a customer but merely as a "prospect," and the bootlegger's word, unsupported by other evidence, would hardly be accepted by a court as sufficient to convict. But it is likely that the mere danger of being publicly accused will tend to alleviate thirst and to decrease the number of bootleggers' sales—Oklmulgee Democrat.

A PROGRAM NECESSARY

No man without a constructive program should be considered for a position in our national lawmaking bodies, or for the highest office in the land, that of President. That is one reason why John W. Davis is gradually winning votes away from Coolidge. Davis has ideals, ideas and a program of progress. Coolidge apparently does not have such a program. The Democratic platform is one forward looking and progressive, though not so progressive that it is dangerous.

The man or party who is simply against something has no right to be considered. It is not so much what a fellow is against as what he is for that should determine most of us in our votes. A man might be against every evil in the world and still not have enough ability to do anything worth while. He may be against every thing you are against, but at the same time not have character enough to demand the respect of others and thus accomplish anything.

Reports of more cotton come from every section of the county. All citizens are rejoicing, realizing that the growers deserve a good crop and a good price. What the price will do in the future, no one can tell, but apparently the county is going to be in a great deal better condition than it has been for several years as a result of the crop and price. While the farmers, like those in the towns and cities, will not have an abundance of money, it does appear that they will be able to buy all the necessary comforts of life and have some additional.

The latest baseball scandal is deplored by lovers of clean sport and a few more breaks of the kind will do much to discredit the national game. However, prompt and decisive action by the organization may do much to keep the game's reputation clear. Looks like there is nothing some men will not do for a little money. However, the refusal of at least one man to take a bribe shows that honesty is not entirely dead.

Prof. E. C. Wilson, secretary of the East Central Education Association, announces that the program for the 1924 meeting, to be held here the last of this month, is excellent. This organization has made a practice for several years of bringing some of the leading educators of the country here, and the teachers get much information and inspiration from them. No doubt the thousands of teachers in this district will take advantage of the opportunity offered by the association.

Very few agitators offer anything in place of the things they seek to tear down. Even those who do suggest something else seldom have anything except some wild, untried theory to offer. Any fool can tear down, but building up is a slow process.

The presidential aspirations of both McAdoo and Smith were blighted by the Democratic national convention, but both are proving themselves good losers by actively supporting Davis who won the nomination. Both men are proving themselves good sports and the people like that type of man.

THE FIRST MISSIONARIES.

When a business is in its infancy and struggling for a foothold one or two men are sufficient to guide its destinies, but when it grows to greater proportions this responsibility must be divided with others or the concern topples over of its own weight. Many business men, not being able to learn this lesson or distrustful of the ability of all but themselves are crushed under the weight of the load they try to carry.

Thus the time arrived in course of the ministry of Jesus that the work must be expanded. He was besieged by multitudes day and night and the load he was carrying was too great for him. Besides he realized that his ministry would be short and that he must speedily gain a firm foothold if his work was to endure when he was no longer there to carry it on. The message of salvation must be carried more rapidly than he alone could do it.

From the beginning he had had certain faithful followers who had heard his every word and witnessed his works. They had undergone a period of training and now from this number he selected twelve who were to be the first to preach the word and who henceforth were to be his constant companions.

This was one of the decisive points of the career of Jesus. Choosing his band of disciples was like a ruler selecting his cabinet or a general picking his subordinates on whose judgment and actions depended the chance for victory. Each man's qualifications and ability must be carefully weighed and only the best selected. That he chose wisely was amply proved by subsequent events, although why Judas Iscariot was included among the twelve is something that we cannot understand. Any discussion on this point would be idle in the extreme.

Having been selected and commissioned as his personal representatives he bade them go forth and carry the message of salvation to various sections of the country occupied by the Jews. Not until after his resurrection did he include the Gentile world in his order. The word was to be offered to the Jewish nation first and it should be remembered that for the first few years his following was almost exclusively Jewish.

The twelve were ordered to go forth and preach and were given power to heal human infirmities as he had done. However, preaching held first place in their instructions. They followed his instructions implicitly and at the conclusion of their tour they were greatly rejoiced over the results. They found many eager to hear the word and their report indicated that they performed many miracles in course of their labors. It was their first experience and their success greatly increased their confidence in themselves and in the master they served.

Perhaps it was well for these men that they could not read the future. They had only seen Jesus in the role of a teacher whose popularity was constantly increasing. They had not yet given up the idea of a temporal kingdom in which they would be the principal figures next to the king himself, but in time they found that they were not to work under such favorable conditions. Ten of them died as martyrs and Judas hanged himself in a fit of remorse following his betrayal of his master. Only John died a natural death and he suffered half a century of persecution because of his unflinching zeal for his master. It was to be his crowning work to be given the vision described in the Book of Revelations, the final message from Jesus to the world through one of his companions.

Today's lesson is a strong missionary appeal. All cannot go into the field but we can assist those who do. Jesus could not personally reach all whom he wished to reach, but through his disciples he was able to greatly expand the scope of his mission.

The woolen industry of New England is finding that although protection is a good thing for it there is such a thing as overdoing matters. There is a tariff of 33 cents a pound on wool and prohibitive rates on woolen manufactures but the industry is in the doldrums and wages of employees are being cut. The trouble is that people cannot afford to pay such prices for woolen goods as the tariff makes possible, hence the demand has fallen off and the manufacturers find themselves up against it all the way around.

A current magazine deplores the lack of a tariff policy on the part of the United States. The chief object of the Democrats has always been to raise revenue and make the necessities of life as cheap to the consumer as possible, since the buyers of these necessities constitute the bulk of the poorer classes, while the Republicans have been bent on a tariff that would protect the men who made the largest contributions to the national campaign fund. Naturally if the Democrats get back into power we may expect a tariff law along these lines.

It is amusing to hear some of the Republican politicians talk about no one but the Democrats paying attention to the possibility of the presidential election being thrown into the house as the result of LaFollette's candidacy while at the same time others are raising sand and charging that LaFollette and the Democrats are in cahoots. Evidently others than the Democrats are doing some worrying.

Hats, shoes and soap are classed as luxuries in the new Japanese tariff law and the premier announces if a 100 per cent duty does bar such things from Japan the government will take measures to curtail the use or manufacture of such useless things. Rather tough on the Japs who desire to pose as thoroughly western. Think of discouraging the use of soap!

According to Donald MacMillan, the returned Arctic explorer, the polar ice cap is increasing in thickness and extent. If that is kept up long enough the earth may lose its balance and begin to wobble on its orbit.

The crowning insult is to be forced to hear the other fellow tell all about what a great individual he is while one is eager to tell him the same things about himself.

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The Forum of the Press

Automobiles and Progress
(Editor and Publisher)

More than fifteen million motor vehicles are in use in this country. 4,086,997 having been produced last year, according to new statistics revealed by the National Automobile chamber of commerce.

There is a thrill of national pride in the single fact that of all the motor vehicles in the whole round world 83 per cent are owned and used by the American people. It is almost unbelievable that there are more motor-propelled vehicles in use in this country than telephones. There is one for every seven persons. In California every third person owns a car.

The average price of new cars is \$811. The wholesale value of all the new cars and trucks produced last year, with replacement parts and tires, is \$2,252,556,257. The motorists' federal, state and local tax bills in 1923 exceeded \$46,000,000. Nearly 5,000,000 trucks and cars are owned on farms. Some 3,000,000 persons are employed in the automobile industry. A million motor vehicles are scrapped annually. The traffic has brought into use 430,000 miles of surfaced highways.

In such terms do Americans speak of their wealth. Such figures seem to indicate a state of development approaching maximum possibility, but imaginative men know that even now the edge has been touched. This is typical of the American people. It should make optimists of us all. Every man and woman owns or wants a car. Those who have cars want better ones. There isn't any end to the increasing and increasing demands of comfort and economy. The flying machine is the only threat against a doubled or tripled automobile industry.

In this true American psychology lies the secret of not only the incalculable possibilities of higher development of the newspaper business, but of one of its ruling charms, "continuous innovation." Endless striving upward! Off with the old and on with the new to keep abreast the swiftly flowing tide of human requirement, the newspaper profession calls for creative men—men of ideas and superior faith.

American Motion Picture Man.

(By the Associated Press)

BERLIN—After what I have seen now at Berlin, I am convinced that the overwhelming majority of the Berlin population lives in misery and poverty," said D. W. Griffith, American film director, supervising two film productions produced here, to a German newspaper man.

"I guess that my good friends who freely supplied me with misleading information about German prodigality divided their worthy endeavors only between the Hotel Bristol and the Palais de Danse, while visiting here," the film man added.

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EXPERTS FIND QUAKE FOLLOW EXTREME TIDES

TOKIO, Japan.—Japanese seismologists are engaged in a discussion as to whether there is connection between earthquakes and high tides along the coast.

Naokichi Maeda, chief of the Choshi meteorological observatory, has brought forth observations covering several years to prove that earthquakes can be foretold by excessive rises or falls of the tide. Early on the morning of August 14 Tokio and the districts to the north were shaken by a fairly severe tremor. For several days previous tides along the Choshi coast, northwest of Tokio, where Mr. Maeda makes his observations, had been abnormally high and he had predicted a shock. That a shock came he claims is proof of his theory, that abnormal tides means the approach of an earthquake.

Mr. Maeda quotes figures for the tides just before the disastrous earthquake of September 1, 1923. At that time, he says the tides were so high that the fishermen along the coast, who eke out a living by gathering seaweed in the shallows, complained that the water was so deep in their accustomed hunting grounds that their industry was badly crippled. Then the big quake came. Mr. Maeda also recalls that excessively low tides preceded an earthquake which did considerable damage in Tokio and the surrounding country in April, 1922.

Dr. Melko Imamura, head of the seismological department of the Imperial University of Tokio, admits that there may be some relation declares that Mr. Maeda's theory is borne out in only about one case in five and is not yet acceptable.

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BISHOP FINDS MORAL TONE OF UNITED STATES IMPROVING

(By the Associated Press)

MANILA.—Bishop John W. Robinson of the Methodist Episcopal church, with headquarters in Bombay, India, thinks the moral tone of the United States is improving and that it is becoming a better place in which to live. He is returning to India after spending several months in the United States. He has lived more than thirty years in the far east.

"Greater charities are being announced," said the bishop, "mankind is more thoughtful of his neighbor, and more hospitals are being erected to care for the sick, making the United States a better place to live in. I visited all of the larger cities of the country, north, south, east and west and saw no drunken men. Christianity is strong throughout the country, great churches are being built, and more progress is being made."

IRISH FREE STATE IMPORTS TOTAL MORE THAN EXPORTS

DUBLIN.—The total value of the imports of the Irish Free State during the first six months of this year was about \$167,391,000 while the value of the exports was \$109,387,465.

Of the exports, Great Britain took nearly \$18,500,000 and Northern Ireland a little more than \$15,000,000. United States is third on the list of recipients of Free State products, the total being \$489,000. From America the Free State took goods to the value of \$8,956,755, or nearly 20 times as much as it sold to America.

The Free State exports consisted for the greatest part of cattle, sheep, pigs, butter and eggs. In the six months the Free State bought nearly \$3,000,000 worth of touring motor cars.

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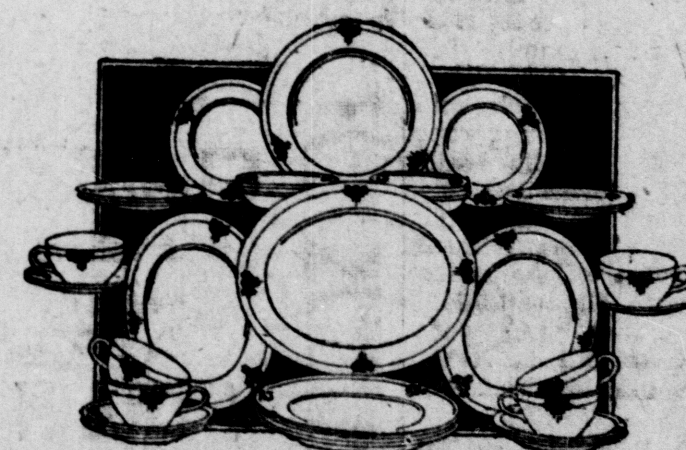
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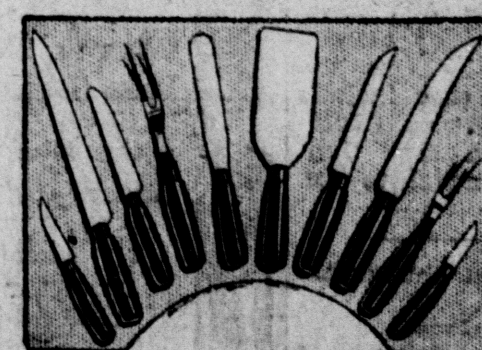
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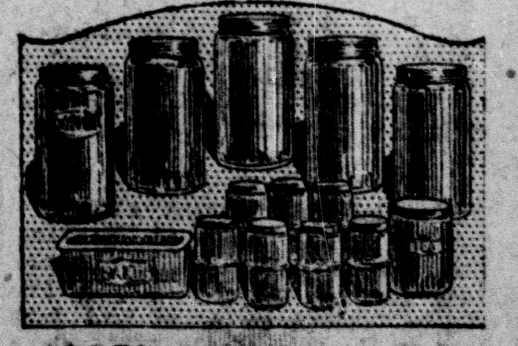


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City Briefs

Mrs. Minnie White spent Sunday in Oklahoma City.

Byron Roberts and wife of Oklahoma City are visiting relatives here.

Clifford Dorsey, a teacher at Dustin, spent the week-end here.

Ford's Home Laundry, Phone 1187W. 10-15-1m

Miss Winnie McClachlin is visiting in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Leo Bell of Bristow is visiting relatives here.

Jimmie McCoy returned Sunday to Seminole where he is teaching.

Truitt Naylor spent Sunday in Durant visiting.

Dave Barrow of Sulphur, spent Sunday visiting friends here.

Russell Battery Co., Willard Services and Sales, Phone 140. 8-6-1m

Will Neathery is visiting home folk here.

Mrs. Lawrence Sloan arrived Sunday to visit with relatives here.

J. F. Steele of Italy, Texas, is visiting relatives here.

Earl Pentem of Norman visited with homefolks over the week-end.

Miss Myrtle Sturdevant visited her sister Mrs. J. R. Forrest at Stratford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox left today for Monette where they will spend several days.

Miss Anna Laura Hill returned Sunday to Morris, where she is teaching.

Motor Sales Co. parts and accessories for all cars. 3-12-1f

Miss Thelma Tidwell left Sunday for Wewoka after a week-end visit here with friends and relatives.

Miss Kathryn Wilenzick, who is teaching at Oklahoma City, spent the week-end with homefolks here.

Oliver Johns returned Sunday to Muskogee, after spending the week-end here.

Miss Lois Burton, a student at O. U. spent the week-end here with friends and relatives.

W. L. Morgan returned Sunday from a business trip to northern Oklahoma.

A. B. Meers who had been looking after business matters in Okfuskee county returned Sunday.

Dr. Ella D. Coltrane, osteopath. 10-1-1m

William Reed of Madill spent Sunday with his brother Ted Reed here.

Mrs. Ed Payne who has been visiting her son Ben F. Payne returned Sunday.

Mrs. Eli Vertrees returned from Muskogee Sunday, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. O. P. Pegg.

A. A. Robertson left Sunday for Dallas after spending the week-end with his wife and daughter here.

Pat Ledford and Jack Maxey returned Sunday from a trip to points in West Texas.

Miss Gladys Flander returned Sunday from Okemah, where she spent the week-end.

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W. B. Wallace of Dallas, Texas, is visiting with his family here for a few days.

Miss Ila Burnett, Eva Williams, Roy Cole and Claude Hall motored to Allen Sunday.

Mrs. Olive Worley and daughter Oneta spent Sunday visiting friends here.

Lucille Chapman of Wayne spent the week-end with friends and relatives here.

Miss Audra Saulsberry of Pontotoc spent the week-end here visiting friends.

Mrs. Lawrence Sloan of Okmulgee formerly Miss Grace Evans of Tulsa, is visiting relatives in the city.

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Miss Bess Rice of Hartshorn was the guest of Miss Anna Lee Sullivan of 125 North Hope over the week-end.

D. G. Thoes, superintendent of schools at Lehigh, left Sunday after spending several days here visiting friends and attending the teachers meeting.

Mrs. V. L. Raspberry and brother, Alva Nettles of Oklahoma City arrived Sunday to the bedside of Mrs. Warren, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Geneva Latta underwent an operation at the Ada hospital early Sunday morning and is reported doing nicely.

The little daughter of E. O. West, East Twelfth street, who had been seriously ill for some time is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson of Maysville spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Dresskill of 412 East 14th street.

HIGH SCHOOL TO STAGE PLAY HERE

Presentation to be Based on Famous Loeb-Lepold Case in Chicago.

The play, "College Thrills" will be presented tonight at the Convention Hall under the direction of Prof. J. L. German of the High School Public Speaking class.

The play, which includes a cast of high school talent, is based on the famous Loeb-Lepold case and deals with the lessons taught in their sensational case.

The play was especially written for use here by Prof. German and has received the praise of those who have attended the rehearsals.

The cast of the play and those sponsoring it have been working diligently for the presentation tonight.

Synopsis of the Play

Act 1, scene 1. College students in Chicago park. Richard and Lewis talk of science, philosophy and thrills. Catharine and Lady-Laud with them; College jazz and poetry.

Scene 2. In the park at 9:30 p. m. McFinn and John in a difficulty over care of the park and Patsy. Willie mysteriously "asleep."

Act 2. Two days later: Mrs. Randolph's home. Martha and Mrs. Randolph worried over Willie's disappearance. "The Tribune" reports foul play. Friends sympathize with Martha and her mother. Judge Long investigates. Huffstein is enraged. McFinn "got 'em at the airship landin', begorra?" Lewis acts the mad-man.

Act 3. One month later, at Mrs. Randolph's. Martha pleads with her mother for Lewis. Catharine likes money and gets it. Patsy's mistake. Willie's disappearance cleared up.

With difficulty, Lewis convinces Mrs. Randolph. Richard offers bi-plane trip to Yellowstone for three couples.

HUNDRED RUNNERS IN DISTANCE RACE

Missouri Valley Distance Men To Shake Spikes During Grid Battle.

(By the Associated Press)

DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 3.—More than a hundred runners representing the nine institutions in the Missouri Valley conference, and other schools, are expected to start in the cross country race here Saturday as a feature of the Drake university homecoming and the Drake-Kansas football game.

The barriers will start during the football game, circle the stadium track and then cover five miles, finishing in the stadium probably near the end of the game.

Ames, many-time winner of similar events, and always noted for its distance runners, is the favorite for first honors. In Captain McInture, Conger, Drew and Burnison, Ames has four great distance men upon whom she counts for a victory.

In a triangular race against Drake and Oklahoma, October 25, Ames runners took first place, the four named finishing among the first ten in the event.

Drake, with four men also placing among the first ten two second honors in the same meet. Because of their showing, the Bulldogs are counted upon to furnish great competition for all comers in the race Saturday.

Rutherford of Oklahoma finished first by a wide margin against Ames and Drake and the Sooners are depending upon him to score points against conference rivals.

Little is known here of Missouri's strength but Coach Bob Simpson has some good distance men under cover, it is reported, and the Tigers must be figured as contenders for first honors. In races this fall Oklahoma defeated Nebraska and Nebraska in turn defeated Kansas.

James Lewis of Nebraska, running five miles in 26 minutes, 3-4 seconds, has registered the best time for that distance this season. Coach Schulte of Nebraska may bring a team that will surprise his rivals.

Gould and Myers of Grinnell are two great harriers of the conference and will aid their school in making a strong bid for a high place.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

GOOD EVENING!

The Settee Customer Says

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BURDICK-BOGER
Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Mae Burdick and M. Edgar Boyer at the Presbyterian church of Holdenville at 8:30 Saturday night. Mr. Boyer is associated with the Smith Drug company at Holdenville and they will make their home there.

WOMEN AT POLLS
Election Week! Tomorrow is your opportunity to show where you stand on the political issues of the day. The women voters have a great power in their hands—the men say so, in fact they claim that the women must save the situation. So tomorrow go to the polls and vote. You can vote a straight ticket after eliminating all the crooks.

MANY MUSICAL PROGRAMS
The music students and lovers of good music will have many programs this month to enjoy. Those announced range from the baritone voice to the coloratura operatic style in singing, piano artists and pipe organ.

Paola Conte, pipe organist who charmed a crowded house comes for a return engagement next Monday at the Presbyterian church.

Masked Hallowe'en Party
Miss Kennie Mae Coffman entertained thirty or more of her young friends Friday evening in her home at "Goblins Knob" with a masked Hallowe'en party. Madame Costello, famous fortune teller, entertained by telling fortunes, interspersed with games and contests.

Miss Coffman was assisted by her mother in serving a sandwich course.

Williams-Etchieson

The marriage of Levi W. Williams of Washington to Miss Inez Etchieson of this city was solemnized at 11 o'clock today at the Baptist parsonage with Rev. C. C. Morris, pastor, officiating.

Only a few friends of the bride and groom were present at the ceremony.

The groom is an officer in the navy stationed at Washington, while the bride is a well-known Ada girl. The couple will make their home in Washington after a short stay here.

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION FOR EASTERN STAR WORK

The school of instruction on Eastern Star work will be given in Ada, Thursday afternoon beginning at 1 o'clock. Mrs. Elizabeth McWhirter, grand lecturer of Cleveland, Okla., will be in charge. Nineteen chapters of this congressional district, will send delegates.

The local chapter will put on the initiatory work in the evening. A noon-day luncheon will be served in the chapter rooms at the Masonic hall to which all local members and visiting delegates will be invited.

Hallowe'en Party at Smith Home

A number of speakers gathered at the home of Mrs. Earl Sumner, 201 South Johnson avenue, Friday evening and on arriving guests were escorted down a winding path thru a mysterious hall, into the living room which was beautifully decorated in keeping with Hallowe'en.

The evening was spent in playing games, and honor prizes were awarded to Mrs. C. C. Morris, Mrs. J. E. Hickman and Chas. Bobbitt.

Refreshments consisting of chicken salad, pumpkin pie and coffee were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, Fleet, Westbrook, Vaden, Claud Pitt, Chas. Bobbitt, Geo. Hansard, Miss Mary Smith, Miss Blanche Chilcutt, Mrs. C. C. Morris, J. E. Hickman, Jackson, Enloe, Sparks, Cole Weddle and Skinner.

HERBERT WALL COMING

What the San Antonio papers had to say of Herbert Wall, baritone, who will appear in the College auditorium Thursday evening of this week. Hear him.

"The feature of last night's program was Herbert Wall, Texas baritone soloist. Mr. Wall opened with Handel's "Hear Me Ye Winds and Waves" from the opera Scipio. He sang this number with fine voice and splendid enunciation. His next number was the beautiful "Eri Tu" from Verdi's Masked Ball. This was sung with a lovely smooth flowing tone. But it was not until the third and last number that Mr. Wall received his greatest applause, this was the well popular "Toreador Song" from Carmen. Mr. Wall was forced to repeat this number three times."—San Antonio Light.

The program announced two appearances for Sgt. Wall, the first being "Hear Me, Ye Winds and Waves, from Handel's "Scipio," and the second, the beautiful baritone aria, "Eri Tu," from Verdi's "Ballo in Maschera." Mr. Wall sang the numbers assuredly, with a good sense of musical values. He accomplished his best work in the Verdi aria, adding to volume of tone, the adequate artistic power and clear enunciation. Mr. Wall was recalled singing in response Oley Speak's "Sylvia," and "Melisande in the Wood" by Goetz. J. Santos added artistic accompaniments.

A surprise of the evening was an interpolation in the program of fantasy on "Carmen" in the closing with the Toreador song, given by Mr. Wall with spirited rendition. This familiar number called forth much applause and Mr. Wall was obliged to repeat this song.

Survey Shows Working Women Get Average of Six Hours Sleep

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO.—Employed women get an average of six hours of sleep a night, according to a summary of results of a "Busy Women's Clock"

questionnaire, sent out to several thousand women by Mrs. Laura P. Miller, director of the department of women in industry of the national W. C. T. U.

"The woman who does not stretch

out her 'official' workday with from two to six hours of homework seems to be rare," said Mrs. Miller. "The majority of employed women also cook at least one meal a day."

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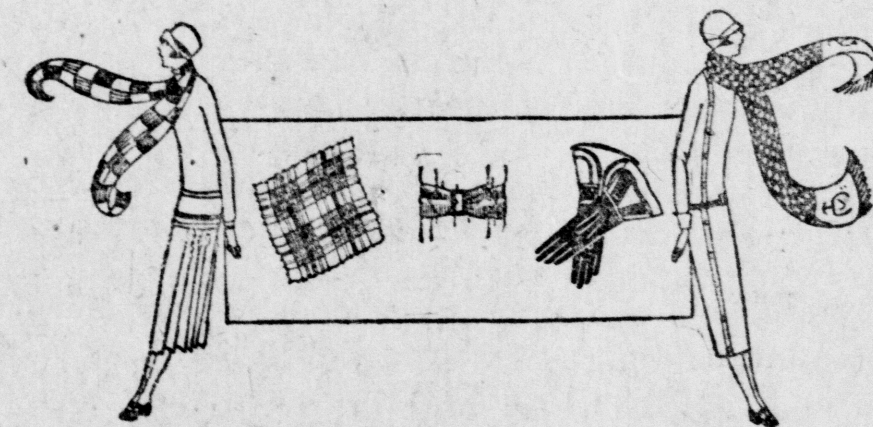
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

It is again rumored that the price of nickel cigars has been reduced below the eight-cent mark. However, the rumor lacks confirmation as any smoker who tries to get along with the ropes he can buy for five cents can testify.

TOMORROW'S ELECTION.

Tomorrow will mark a great crisis in the political history of the United States. John W. Davis has gained in the esteem of the people as they learned more about him. He made honesty in government the paramount issue of his campaign and the Republicans have done nothing but make excuses and promise better service in the future.

The record of the present administration is one of the most disgraceful in the history of the United States. Fall, Denby, Daugherty, Forbes and their kind have flourished and in each case President Coolidge has clung to the accused officials to the last. What can be expected of an executive who stands by men of this kind?

The Teapot Dome and California oil lease cases are too fresh in the minds of the people to need reviewing here, but the Forbes case has been somewhat obscured by the first named. Forbes is accused of grafting the veterans bureau out of millions of dollars appropriated for the relief of former service men. The money disappeared, the disabled veterans who had given their all in defense of their country suffered and doubtless many died of neglect while a gang of conspirators fattened on what had been set aside for the soldiers by a grateful government. Forbes has not been brought to trial and the prosecution thus far impresses one as a half-hearted affair.

Andrew Mellon is secretary of the treasury and is known to have a commanding influence in the administration. He was one of the nation's largest distillers before prohibition went into effect and it is not to be supposed for a minute that he favors prohibition in any form. Yet he is the man who has charge of the enforcement department. Can we expect anything in the way of honest enforcement under such a man?

One of Coolidge's first acts on entering the White House was to appoint Bascom Slemph of Virginia as his private secretary. Slemph had become notorious through peddling out post offices in the South to the highest bidders under the guise of "donations" to the Republican campaign fund. Yet he holds the most confidential relation to the president of the United States.

If a man is to be judged by the company he keeps President Coolidge certainly has little to recommend him.

However, it is not on the demerits of his opponent that Mr. Davis is to be elected. He has shown himself big of brain, thoroughly grounded in the science of government and the most unscrupulous of campaigners has not been able to find a thing upon which to base a charge of dishonesty or crookedness. His record is above reproach. Time after time he has proved himself the champion of the oppressed and the nation knows that every man will get a square deal if he is elected.

While sectionalism has no place with fair minded people, local pride naturally cuts some figure and in this case the nominee happens to be a Southern man, hence should be all the more acceptable to this section. It has been 60 years since the civil war closed but heretofore the Democratic party has been too timid to select its candidate from the part of the country that is always safe for the party. It has catered to the North and East with the result that only four times in 64 years has the party triumphed.

Coolidge knows little of the needs of this section and has little sympathy with our ideals. La Follette has no chance to carry Oklahoma, hence it behooves every citizen who is opposed to the continuation of the present policy of government to cast a vote for Davis and Bryan. A vote in Oklahoma for La Follette is half a vote for Coolidge, since it makes his chance of carrying the state just that much better.

The News hopes to see Pontotoc county roll up for Davis and Bryan the handsomest majority on record.

One individual who has done much to put the election prophets on the hummer is the silent voter. In fact, there may be said to be two classes of this species. One is the fellow who says nothing about how he expects to vote and the other is the one who seldom goes to the polls. This year an intensive campaign has been put on to bring out a full vote and to what extent this drive has been successful or how the ones who remained away from the polls four years ago will cast his ballot this time are items that are worrying politicians more than a little bit.

A press dispatch says the Durant football slugger who attacked Walter Wray at the close of a game at Durant Friday afternoon has been expelled from the college and that Pres. Bennett of the institution declares he stands for clean athletics. Good for President Bennett. Rough stuff and rough-necks will ruin any sport on earth and will bring about its downfall. Accounts of the Durant affair indicate that the attack of Walter Wray was brutal in the extreme and without provocation since the decision that roused the anger of the player was rendered by the umpire and not by the referee.

Who Said Nobody Loves a Fat Man?



STATE COUNTIES SHOW GIN TOTALS

Bryan County Leading All Counties in State in Cotton Ginning

The department of commerce, through the bureau of census, announces the preliminary on cotton ginned by counties, in Oklahoma, for the crops of 1924 and 1923. The total for the state was made public Saturday, October 26. (Quantities are in running bales, counting round bales as half bales. Linters are not included.)

County	1924	1923
The state	596,281	219,209
Adair	699	235
Atoka	5,584	1,822
Beckham	10,184	2,834
Bryan	31,740	16,378
Caddo	19,560	4,706
Carter	14,085	5,843
Cherokee	2,395	1,832
Choctaw	16,273	7,688
Cleveland	7,267	1,326
Coal	6,586	1,916
Comanche	8,912	3,725
Cotton	8,288	5,184
Creek	10,273	2,575
Custer	1,376	115
Garvin	22,685	6,608
Grady	11,347	3,731
Greer	8,497	3,021
Harmon	8,465	2,677
Haskell	15,242	3,045
Jackson	26,317	6,269
Jefferson	17,483	11,441
Johnston	13,097	5,036
Kiowa	14,551	4,599
Latimer	1,700	232
LeFlore	18,869	7,451
Lincoln	17,756	3,572
Logan	5,040	1,160
Love	10,737	6,870
McClain	9,865	2,158
McClintock	19,105	11,739
McIntosh	11,727	3,808
Marshall	11,744	7,478
Mayes	2,051	1,993
Murray	6,730	2,078
Muskogee	14,677	9,559
Oklfuskee	12,686	2,843
Oklahoma	5,918	801
Oklmulgee	5,871	2,502
Osage	1,027	283
Pawnee	2,341	512
Payne	4,273	1,049
Pittsburg	15,436	3,778
Pontotoc	14,804	3,157
Pottawatomie	18,935	3,207
Pushmataha	6,695	1,758
Rogers Mills	1,835	283
Rogers	1,236	723
Seminole	9,898	1,697
Sequoyah	8,788	4,759
Stephens	17,137	6,773
Tillman	27,018	11,389
Tulsa	2,472	1,102
Wagoner	3,992	4,214
Washita	12,576	3,600
All other	2,664	411

HAPPY ENDING TO NEGRI PRODUCTION

"Lily of the Dust" Coming today to the McSwain.
It seems that in some way or other the name of Pola Negri in motion pictures is continually linked with tragedy. But "Lily of the Dust," a Dimitri Buchowetzki production, her latest screen work for Paramount, like all great love stories, has a happy ending.
"Lily of the Dust," was adapted to the screen by Paul Bern from the novel, "The Song of Songs" by Hermann Sudermann and the stage play by Edward Sheldon. Ben Lyon, Noah Beery and Raymond Griffith had the cast playing in support of the star.
The story is one of a beautiful girl who lives in a little garison

town—a girl whose beauty and fascination for men almost leads to her downfall. Pola's portrayal of the part is said to be her greatest screen work.
Directed by Buckowetzki, who made "Men" and "Peter the Great," "Lily of the Dust" is lavishly produced, with colorful settings and invested with a cost that means perfection. There is no doubt but that this is one of the most outstanding bits of this or any season.

Awaken

(By Armistead Grady, secretary Kiwanis Club of Duluth, Minn.)
Need we the belching cannon's roar,
The mangling of our Youth in war,
Need we the stench of poison gas,
Need we the cry "They shall not pass,"
To banish lethargy,
To awaken loyalty.

Need we the anguished moans
Of women left alone,
The sight of faces seared by pain,
Men's spirit broken by the strain,
To rouse us from our apathy,
To send us onward loyally.

Need we the Hell of Revolution,
The scorning of our Constitution,
Today a fact in fevered mind,
Tomorrow a nation undermined,
Need we from history further quote,
To urge Americans TO VOTE.

Live Viper Found in Stomach of Nurse Who Died in Agony
CHUR, Switzerland.—When the stomach of a young nurse who had died in terrible agony was opened a living viper was found. The patient had been put on a strict diet and the venomous snake, driven by hunger, had eaten the intestines of the young woman.

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TWO MEN HELD FOR SHOOTING OF OFFICER

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 3.—Two men were arrested today and held for investigation in connection with the killing early today of Briggs Chumley, city detective by a highwayman. A general round-up of suspicious characters was being made today by the police department.
Chumley and Elmer Miller, another detective, answered a call to the western part of the city when police were informed that a man had been held up and robbed. They arrested a man who submitted to a search of his clothing but found no weapon.

Satisfied that the man was unarmed according to Miller, the detectives returned their guns to their pockets, and the suspect drew a revolver from a upper pocket of his overalls. Miller reached for his

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JOSEPH ANDERSON
For Constable, Ada Twp.:
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own gun but the highwayman shot him in the arm causing him to drop the weapon. He then shot Chumley over the heart killing him almost instantly and fled. Miller pursued the man as he ran but declared that he believed none of the shots took effect.

Miller who left the hospital to view the suspects said neither of them was the man wanted and they were released.

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FOR RENT—South bedroom, close in. Phone 11. Mrs. Nolen. 10-31-3*

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms and garage. Call 566-J. 11-2-21*

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New York Futures.

Dec. 22.52 23.34 22.58 22.98
Jan. 22.83 23.38 22.76 23.17
Mar. 22.26 23.70 23.01 23.40

Spots, 23.75 15 points up.

New Orleans Futures.

Dec. 22.65 23.23 23.50 22.98
Jan. 22.65 23.28 22.52 23.01
Mar. 22.90 23.42 22.78 22.27

Spots, 23c; 15 points up.

Chicago Grain

Wheat—Open High Low Close
May 1.45 1.45 1.45
July 1.32 1.32 1.32
Dec. 1.40 1.40 1.39

Corn—
May 1.09 1.09 1.09
July 1.09 1.09 1.09
Dec. 1.05 1.05 1.05

Oats—
May .53 1.53 1.53
July .51 1.51 1.51
Dec. .48 1.48 1.48

The local cotton market today ranged from 22.50, the top price, downward. Receipts were very light as is usually the case on Monday.

Buy it—rent it—sell it—find it with a NEWS want ad.

AGED PIONEER OF CALIFORNIA DIES

Veteran of Gold Rush and Former Senator Dies at 102 Years of Age.

(By the Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 3.—Cornelius Cole, former United States senator, 102 years and two months of age died at his residence here today.

Cornelius Cole was a survivor of the most striking and picturesque period in the history of California—the era of the placer miner, the Vigilantes, the Pony Express and the transcontinental railway builders; of momentous political and social controversies, startling crimes and summary punishments.

Mr. Cole, who celebrated the 100th anniversary of his birth September 17, 1922, arrived in California when he was 27 years of age, and became a member of the first goldseeking party to reach the Sacramento Valley, overland from the East in the rush of 1849. Every one of those hardy pioneers who survived the perils of the trail and trooped into the Golden West in the stirring days of '49 had just one object in view—the discovery of pay dirt—and Cornelius Cole was no exception.

But as time wore on and the ceaseless hunt for gold came to be regarded in the light of a permanent institution, there were some who called up memories of the comfortable civilization that had been left behind in the distant East, and with these memories came a desire for leaders. Among the latter Cornelius Cole was an exception.

He continued to mine for gold, as did everyone else, but he also found time to serve the new county of Sacramento in the capacity of district attorney at a moment when the legally constituted authorities were taking from the Vigilantes the reins of law and order. This guided his steps along other political paths, and he became the real leader in the fight to keep California on the list of Free States. He took a prominent part in organizing the republican party of the Golden State, and later served on the republican national committee as the first California representative.

As an indication of the range of his political career and that of his wife, who shared his early experiences, it is sufficient to note that he was chosen a delegate to the convention which nominated Fremont for president, and that Mrs. Cole was a member of the delegation to the convention that nominated Charles E. Hughes for the same office, more than half a century later. During the Civil War Mr. Cole occupied a seat in the House of Representatives and in 1866 was elected to the United States senate from California, serving until 1873.

Senator Fifty Years Ago
Nearly 50 years after Senator Cole had closed his desk in the national capital and returned to the state of his adoption, he appeared once again in Washington and took his old place in the legislative chambers, there to receive the tribute of a new generation that was guiding the affairs of the nation. He was a centenarian then—or within a few months of the 100 years mark—and as he stood in the Senate to speak, he saw none who had been there in his day.

Despite his advanced years, Mr. Cole insisted upon making the trip

East in the early summer of 1922 to receive the degree of doctor of laws from Wesleyan College, his Alma Mater, 75 years after his graduation. He also visited Hobart College, which he had attended in his youth. The tour included a visit to New York, which the pioneer had not seen for more than 40 years. Hale and hearty as a man of half his years, and without a wrinkle on his face, the aged visitor spent an active week in the metropolis after meeting the heavy demands made upon him in Washington, where he had been welcomed by President Harding and many other high officials of the government, as well as the House and Senate.

Mr. Cole was born at Lodi, N. Y., September 17, 1822. Completing his academic work, he studied law in the office of William H. Seward, who later became Secretary of State under Lincoln. In 1849 he struck out for the Far West, and with three companions "panned" gold with varying success until in famed Oregon Gulch they struck a rich pocket, one day's work on which netted them \$1,849. They were prompted to sell the claim for a song, however, when a mining camp rumor drifted in telling of better pickings elsewhere, but all lived to see the Oregon Gulch subsequently produce millions of dollars worth of gold.

Years after this venture, Mr. Cole was one of a group of men who met in the law office of Collis P. Huntington and Mark Hopkins in Sacramento to organize the Central Pacific Railroad company. Later, as a member of Congress, he brought about the enactment of laws that made the building of the transcontinental railway possible.

When he was elected to the Senate, however, he actively opposed a bill granting the Goats Island in San Francisco Bay to the Central Pacific as a terminal site, and thereby, he felt, incurred the enmity of his former friends and associates. To their opposition and that of the so-called Whiskey Ring and national banking interests, which he had antagonized, he attributed his defeat for reelection.

Mr. Cole was married in 1852 to Miss Oliver Colegrove, who shared her husband's friendship for Abraham Lincoln. Mrs. Cole died in 1920 at the age of 87.

When Mr. Cole celebrated his 100th birthday, his estate in Los Angeles was thrown open to the public for a general reception. Surrounded by his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, and by nonagenarian friends of a lifetime, the former senator danced and frolicked the whole day through as though he had been a boy again.

DILLARD RANCH NEAR ARDMORE IS SOLD

ARDMORE.—The Cub Dillard ranch place comprising 450 acres of land located one and a quarter miles from the city limits on the northwest and worth possibly \$50,000, has passed into the hands of Tom Cooper.

The ranch place has a modern brick home of eight rooms together with halls and bath rooms and wide porches. It has hot and cold water and sewer and natural gas and electric lights and circulating water and no home in any city has more conveniences than this country home has.

Included in the sale are a big hay barn, 4,000 bales of hay, a Ford son tractor, plows, implements, mules, horses, chickens, turkeys, ten head of valuable Holstein and Guernsey cattle, some fine hogs, and many other things that go with a well equipped farm.

Crystal beads and bead fringes are used very successfully on pastel colored evening gowns.

KIWANIANS HOLD ROUSING MEETING

Song Service Precedes Business Session at Noon-day Meeting.

The Kiwanis club proved a group of songsters when the greater period of their noonday meeting today at the Episcopal Parish house was devoted in rousing songs of present and past popularity.

The talk of President Bob Blackburn on the Kiwanian spirit, its ambitions of municipal helpfulness and the scope of unselfish personal service was received heartily by the members.

The club decided to assist in the erection of a sign board at the Canadian bridge and favored one of the four ads on the "welcome" invitation. J. C. Treadwell, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, presented the matter to the Kiwanians with the statement that the Lions, Chamber of Commerce and Realtors had contracted for places on the board.

A committee was appointed to select ten Kiwanians to assist Chairman Treadwell in the annual Red Cross drive.

The club also favored a resolution in behalf of those responsible for saving the city a financial setback. The club voted to pay tribute in a resolution to the men who played prominent roles in stabilizing the First National bank.

J. T. Braily won the attendance prize for today and will be presented with the award at the next meeting.

The club voted favorably on application for membership of three Ada men.

J. C. Treadwell was the guest for today.

French Kick to Be Re-Vamped in Musical Revue

The Follies Bergere, that musical treat of sunny France, the remembrance of which still lingers in the vagrant minds of Ada veterans who crossed the pond, will be reproduced in Ada.

In the presentation here, more sedate musical offerings will be attempted to meet with the will of modest citizens of Ada but the gist of the stage offering that so pleased overseas veterans will be retained.

It will be presented here Armistice night under the auspices of the Norman Howard post, American Legion and Miss Mary B. Browne, late of the MusicBox Revue, is here to direct it and to secure local talent for the presentation.

Miss Browne arrived here today from Ardmore where she put on a musical revue, which was sponsored by all civic organizations of the city.

The skeleton cast of the presentation has been organized and in waiting for the arrival of Miss Browne. The cast will assemble for the first time tonight in the Legion quarters of the Convention Hall.

Mrs. Harding ill.

MARION, O., Nov. 3.—Mrs. Warren G. Harding, widow of the late president, was reported today to be in a critical condition at the home here of Dr. Carl W. Sawyer. She is suffering from kidney trouble.

German Buy French Daily CONSTANTINOPLE.—Prominent members of the German colony have purchased the French daily Volonte. The newspaper will be printed in the German language.

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No. 3—Lv. Daily 10:50 p. m.

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No. 4—Lv. Daily 4:51 a. m.
No. 6—Lv. Daily 4:30 p. m.

SANTA FE
No. 446—Ar Daily 11:40 a. m.
(Stop Here)
WEST
No. 446—Lv. Daily 12:20 p. m.

FRISCO
NORTH
No. 610—Lv. Daily 12:30 p. m.
No. 612—Lv. Daily 6:16 p. m.
No. 118—Lv. Daily 3:36 a. m.

SOUTH
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No. 61: Lv. Daily 12:50 p. m.
No. 507—Ar Daily 7:35 p. m.

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Royal Arch Masons, meets
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By Bud Fisher

WHITWELL PREACHES TO OLD FOLK SUNDAY

Oldest Couple Present Presented With Present From Class.

Pastor Whitwell designated the services of Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church as Old Folks Day and arranged the program accordingly.

He announced that the Brotherhood class wished to present a token to the couple present who had been married longest. He asked all who had been married for 50 years or longer to stand. Three couples responded. These were Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cullins and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore. The last named had been longest married. On behalf of the class M. C. Grishby presented the couple with a bouquet in a dainty vase and basket holder.

All the songs were old time favorites and during a portion of the sermon Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schreiber played softly on organ and violin some of the popular old airs.

Mr. Whitwell's sermon dealt with the meaning of life and the mission of the individual. He dwelt on the sunshine and shadows of existence and the happiness coming from long years of association, such as the three couples present who had spent more than half a century together and the fond memories of other days. One of his outstanding thoughts was that if one is permitted to reach old age it is a sign that his mission is not yet completed and that there is still some work for him to do.

Turks to Give World Access to Books of Sultan Abdul

CONSTANTINOPLE. — There is soon to be established here a national library of Turkey in which the existing libraries of the university and the private library of the former Sultan Abdul Hamid will be united.

Turkish experts are at present studying the methods of organization of the public libraries in European capitals. Manuscripts of great value were collected in Constantinople in the course of the past centuries, and it is hoped to make many of them accessible to the world by the new organization.

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Political Reviews of States

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK.—The gubernatorial race in New York between Governor Alfred E. Smith and Colonel Theodore Roosevelt is attracting national interest second only to that attached to the race for the presidency.

Governor Smith became a national figure because of the part he played in the extended deadlock at the Democratic National convention. After the nomination of John W. Davis he declared he would not be a candidate for re-election as governor, but his party leaders as well as the rank and file of the party became so insistent that he head the state ticket that he finally yielded and was nominated by acclamation. He has behind him a long record of honorable public service, is one of the most popular governors New York has ever had and as a vote getter is regarded as the champion of New York.

Colonel Roosevelt won his nomination on the first ballot from a number of Republicans with fine records for public service and has waged a vigorous campaign, pleading with the voters to take him for what he is and what he has done and to forget that he is the son of a former president. The nominee has attacked the Democratic administration for alleged extravagance.

On the other hand Governor Smith has denied this charge and has pointed out a saving of \$800,000 by the consolidation of the departments of highways, public works and public buildings, declaring that further reorganization and consolidation of state departments was thwarted by a Republican Assembly. The governor also has claimed credit for reducing state income and property tax 25 percent.

PENNSYLVANIA.—The campaign in Pennsylvania has been a comparatively quiet one, but with the supporters of the La Follette presidential ticket showing considerable activity, especially in the mining regions.

There are nine sets of presidential electors, Republican, Democratic, Socialist, Prohibition, American, Commonwealth Land, Industrial, Labor, and Workers, appearing on the official ballot in the order named.

Senators La Follette and Wheeler are running on the Labor ticket and their names also appear on the ballot as the presidential candidates of the Socialist party. Efforts are being made by the Republican organization to increase its representation in Congress by holding the 50 seats they now have in the House, and capturing some of the six held by Democrats. The Independent movement represented by La Follette and Wheeler figures in some of the Congressional contests.

A state superior court judge, state treasurer and auditor general will be elected; also half the membership of the state senate and the

full membership of the lower house of the legislature.

NEW JERSEY.—In the November elections this state will select one United States Senator, 12 congressional representatives, one of whom may be a woman, and will pick its 16 presidential electors from a field of 112 candidates. Represented on the presidential ballot in addition to Republican and Democratic parties are the Progressive (La Follette) Socialist-Labor, Prohibition Commonwealth Land, Workers and American groups.

The senatorial race is a triangular contest with United States Senator Walter E. Edge, Republican, opposed by Mayor F. W. Donnelly, Trenton, Democrat; and George L. Record, Jersey City, Independent Progressive and La Follette, supporter.

New Jersey had six Republican and a like number of Democratic representatives in the last congress. All are seeking re-election with the exception of Charles F. X. O'Brien, Democrat of the 12th district. For his place Mrs. Mary T. Norton, vice-chairman of the State Democratic committee, has been nominated.

Both John W. Davis and Senator La Follette have campaigned in New Jersey.

DELAWARE.—The contest for United States senator between General Coleman du Pont, Republican, and James M. Tunnell, Democrat, engaged a major amount of interest in the political campaign in Delaware. There were some factional differences in the Republican ranks which made the situation more interesting.

Republicans declared that the differences within the party would not endanger the Republican presidential ticket in Delaware, while the Democrats, inspired by the Republican difficulties, expressed themselves as hopeful of complete success for national and state tickets.

Because of differences among three factions favoring the La Follette and Wheeler candidacies, the independent movement did not show great activity in the campaign.

Delaware will also elect a congressman, governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general, state treasurer and state auditor.

WEST VIRGINIA.—West Virginia's special interest in the outcome of the presidential election, because for the first time in the history of the state a native son is a presidential candidate, has given an unusual turn to the pre-election campaign this year.

Democratic campaign managers have hailed the candidacy of John W. Davis, and the state pride which they believe will induce many normally Republican voters to cast their ballots for him, as a means of turning into the Democratic column the majority which four years ago went to the Republicans and established the present Republican administration in the state.

Presidential questions have figured in the race for a seat in the United States senate between Guy D. Goff, Republican, and William E. Chilton, Democrat.

The West Virginia Farmer-Labor ticket and the American ticket have only presidential and vice-presidential candidates and electors on the ballot, requirements of state election laws preventing these parties from nominating state tickets, for which there are candidates only of the Republican, Democratic and Socialist parties.

Robert M. La Follette and Burton K. Wheeler are twice named on the ballot, as Farmer-Labor and Socialist party candidates, and in both parties the same list of presidential electors is given.

Howard M. Gore, Republican, and Judge Jake Fisher, Democrat, are making the race for the governorship.

In the state's six congressional representatives seek re-election, while in two of the districts Republicans whom they succeeded two years ago seek a return to their former places.

MARYLAND.—Political lines in Maryland settled sufficiently early this fall to convince both the Democratic and Republican leaders that nothing could be taken for granted in the Presidential fight in this normally Democratic state, and that the chances would be in favor of the party that did the harder and more effective work. The Democrats concededly have had the better organization, probably the best they have had in 20 years. With hard work they believe they will carry the state for Davis over Coolidge, with La Follette rather far in the rear.

Besides the major parties and the Independent or La Follette ticket, the Labor party has filed the names of their candidates for president and vice-president with the secretary of state.

Maryland expects the return of the present Congressional delegation, three Republicans and three Democrats.

No state officers will be elected this year.

POLITICAL VIEWS

MASSACHUSETTS.—The Republicans in Massachusetts have made strenuous effort to recapture the seat in the United States Senate held by David I. Walsh, Democrat, since 1919, the state prior to that time having had two Republican Senators since the party was founded. Speaker Frederick H. Gillett, of the national house of representatives, is the Republican candidate against Senator Walsh, who seeks re-election.

For governor the contest is between Mayor James M. Curley of Boston, Democrat, and Lieutenant Governor Alvan T. Fuller, Republican, among the referendum questions on the ballot will be those calling for a vote as to whether daylight saving shall be continued in the state, whether the state shall adopt a state prohibitory enforcement law and whether a gasoline tax of two cents a gallon shall be imposed to aid in the maintenance

of highways. Massachusetts being the home state of President Coolidge who was governor of the state when elected to the vice presidency, both parties have done their best to bring out a full vote.

Congressman Peter F. Teague, Democrat, defeated for renomination in the tenth district in the September primaries, will run on stickers against John J. Douglass, Democrat, James E. Maguire, Republican, and Thomas J. Giblin, Independent. This district is entirely in Boston. The state at present has 13 Republican and three Democratic Congressmen.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.—U. S. Senator Henry W. Keyes, Republican, is a candidate for re-election in New Hampshire, being opposed by State Treasurer George E. Farrand, Democrat, Congressman William N. Rogers, Democrat, and Edward H. Watson, Republican, also seek re-election. Governor Fred H. Brown, Democrat, is the first New Hampshire governor to run for a second term in many years. His Republican opponent is John G. Winant. Governor Brown was elected two years ago by a plurality of 8,634. The state usually has gone Republican, but Wilson carried it in both his campaigns for president, although by a margin of only 56 votes the second time. Harding carried the state by more than 32,000 in 1920.

VERMONT.—No U. S. Senator is to be elected in Vermont this year. Congressman Ernest W. Gibson, Republican nominee in the first district. In Vermont the Republican nomination for Governor, U. S. Senator and Congressman always have been equivalent to an election. Because of the fact that President Coolidge was born in Vermont an unusually large vote is expected Nov. 4. Franklin S. Billings is the Republican nominee for Governor. The Democratic primary nominee, Howard E. Shaw, died on Sept. 26.

MAINE.—State officers, Senator and Congressmen were elected in Maine in September. No state matters will come before the voters at the national election.

RHODE ISLAND.—The legislative controversy in which Rhode Island has been involved for the past year is playing a large part in the campaign. With Lieutenant Governor Felix A. Toupin who, as ex-officio president of the Senate, directed the Democratic filibuster against the Republican majority, as the issues involved have been passed along to the voters. The Democrats contended for a constitutional convention, elimination of the property qualification for local voting, and a 48-hour law. The Republican senators, after the setting off of a bromine gas bomb near the president's rostrum in the state senate, fled to Rutland, Mass., where they still remain, although several are candidates for re-election. The Republican candidate for governor is former Governor Aram J. Pottinger, a banker and manufacturer of Woonsocket.

The fight for the United States senate seat vacated by the death of the late Le B. Colt, has been between Jesse H. Metcalf, Republican, Governor William S. Flynn, Democrat, and Edward M. Sullivan, former Democratic mayor of Cranston. Independent. Contests for congressional seats follow former lines.

CONNECTICUT.—The pre-election campaign in Connecticut has been relatively quiet.

Five parties have qualified for places on the ticket, four of them with state tickets in addition to presidential electors. The Republican, Democratic, Socialist and Socialist-Labor had complete tickets, while the La Follette-Wheeler Progressives filed list of electors only for the general ticket.

To Republicans, in the belief that the state was secure for Coolidge, spent little money in campaign arrangements and contented themselves with meetings in the smaller towns until some increase in activity on the part of the Democrats led them to match it with more meetings and more campaign pamphlets.

The recent death of United States Senator Frank B. Brandegee, who was reelected four years ago, will necessitate a special election shortly.

The feature of the state ticket canvass has been the aggressiveness of Charles G. Morris, Democratic

nominee for governor, who is opposed by the present lieutenant-governor, Col. Hiram Bingham, a Yale professor.

The bridge chapel at Rotherham, England—almost 450 years old—has been in turn an almshouse, a gaol and a cigar store.

Germans Oppose Postal Banks

BERLIN.—The postal administration probably will shelve the idea of establishing postal savings banks. Vigorous opposition to the plan was expressed by municipal and corporation savings banks.



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The politicians say VOTE IT STRAIGHT, but the people say that a frequent change in officials is best for the people; that the longer an official stays in office, the more negligent and corrupt he may become.

I have been reared in Pontotoc County and I have never held an office or run for one, have practiced law in Ada for eleven years.

I am now a candidate for County Attorney on the INDEPENDENT TICKET as indicated on this sample ballot.

I was endorsed by the Farmer-Labor Party.

HOW TO VOTE

In this election a voter can vote for various candidates on all the tickets at once and the ballot be absolutely legal. For example, the voter can stamp an X by every Democratic candidate except the County Attorney and stamp for E. N. Jones on the Independent Ticket, and the ballot be absolutely legal. The same can be done on the Republican as well as the Farm-Labor Ticket.

I am not a Klansman and have never been.

The Republican party has no candidate for County Attorney and I sincerely solicit every Republican vote as well as the votes of all other parties.

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